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For: WAVEGUIDE TYPE OPTICAL DEVICE AND
POSITION DETECTING METHOD

FIRST PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendment to the Title begin on page 2 of the paper.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

AMENDMENT TO THE TITLE

Please change the title to: "WAVEGUIDE TYPE OPTICAL DEVICE AND POSITION
DETECTING METHOD".